CLAIMS

1. A cleaning tool for use on a work string, the tool comprising a cylindrical body having an axial bore running there through, a plurality of cleaning elements mounted thereon and positioning means to move the cleaning elements in relation to the body, and wherein the elements are located eccentrically to the axial bore.

2. A cleaning tool as claimed in Claim 1 wherein the cleaning elements are scrapers arranged on an outer face thereof.

3. A cleaning tool as claimed in Claim 2 wherein each cleaning element is substantially rectangular in cross-section to provide a first edge between a side and the outer face.

4. A cleaning tool as claimed in any preceding Claim wherein the plurality of elements are located in at least one band around the circumference of the body.

5. A cleaning tool as claimed in any preceding Claim wherein each element is located in a recess of the body, each recess being located longitudinally on the body, eccentrically to the axial bore.

6. A cleaning tool as claimed in any preceding Claim wherein the positioning means is a biasing means located in the recess against the cleaning element.

7. A cleaning tool as claimed in Claim 5 wherein the biasing means is a spring held in compression, biasing the element away from the body.

8. A cleaning tool as claimed in any preceding Claim wherein an outer face of each cleaning element has a curvature which is greater than a curvature of the cylindrical body.

9. A cleaning tool as claimed in Claim 8 wherein the curvature of the outer faces of the elements are selected such that in a first position wherein the outer faces are proud of the body, the outer faces define a cylindrical surface centralised to the axial bore.

10. A cleaning tool as claimed in Claim 9 wherein in a second position, the outer faces are located outwardly of the first position, the first edge of each element providing a leading edge of a scraper.

11. A cleaning tool as claimed in any one of Claims 2 to 10 wherein the outer face comprises a material being softer or more malleable than the material of a Polished Bore Receptacle (PBR).

12. A cleaning tool as claimed in any preceding Claim wherein the elements include a profiled end which is tapered.

13. A cleaning tool as claimed in any preceding Claim wherein the elements include a profiled end arranged to provide a stop.

14. A cleaning tool as claimed in Claim 13 wherein the end comprises a mill, so that the tool acts as a top dress mill.

15. A method of cleaning a liner top, the method comprising the steps;

(a) inserting a cleaning tool into a liner;

(b) running the tool and liner together into a well bore;

(c) setting the liner at a casing in the well bore;

(d) rotating and/or reciprocating the tool to clean an inner surface of a PBR on the liner with cleaning elements thereon;

(e) pulling the tool from the PBR, so that the cleaning elements move outwardly to contact neighbouring casing at the liner top; and

(f) rotating and/or reciprocating the tool to clean an inner surface of the neighbouring casing with the leading edges of the cleaning elements.

16. A method of cleaning a liner top as claimed in Claim 15 wherein the tool is as claimed in any one of Claims 1 to 14.

17. A method of cleaning a liner top as claimed in Claim 15 or Claim 16 wherein the method includes the further step of tripping the tool from the well bore.

18. A method of cleaning a liner top as claimed in any one of Claims 15 to 17 wherein the method includes

the step of attaching the tool to a liner setting tool, so that the tool is tripped out with the setting tool.

19. A method of cleaning a liner top as claimed in any one of Claims 16 to 18 wherein the method further includes the step of selecting the curvature of the outer faces to be no greater than the curvature of the inner surface of the PBR.

20. A method of cleaning a liner top as claimed in any one of the Claims 15 to 19 wherein the method includes the step of running the tool back into the PBR.

21. A method of cleaning a liner top as claimed in any one of the Claims 15 to 20 wherein the method includes the step of dressing a top of the PBR.

22. A method of cleaning a liner top as claimed in any one of Claims 15 to 21 wherein the method includes the step of setting down weight on the tool to thereby set a packer.